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UTILITY PATENT
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER



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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of Nicholas Justin Sawadsky, Daniel (Yilin) Shi, Andrew Edward Block, Michael Anthony Blackstock, Henricus Gerardus Spaay and Desiree Paula Rodriguez for SYNCHRONOUS PEER-TO-PEER MULTIPPOINT DATABASE SYNCHRONIZATION.

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application **NOT BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.
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- ☒ 7 sheet(s) of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawing(s);
- ☒ an Assignment document;
- ☐ an Information Disclosure Statement;
- ☐ a patent application data sheet; and
- ☒ Other: Recordation Form Cover Sheet and return postcard.
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☒ also is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☒ Small entity status is hereby claimed.
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filed in on ; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by
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--This application is a continuation of International Application No. filed on ,
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- ☒ The filing fee has been calculated as follows ☐ and in accordance with the enclosed
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	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$740.00 (101)
Total Claims	24	MINUS 20 =	4	× \$18.00 (103) =	72.00
Independent Claims	4	MINUS 3 =	1	× \$84.00 (102) =	84.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$280.00 (104)					0.00
Total Application Fee					896.00
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					448.00
Add Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00 (581) if Assignment document is enclosed					40.00
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					488.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 488.00 is enclosed for the fee due.
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